AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

- 1.-17. (Cancelled)
- 18. (Currently amended) A method of stabilizing artificial color on hair comprising: applying to artificially colored hair a composition comprising at least <u>high</u> amylose[-containing] starch.
- 19. (Deleted) The method according to claim 18 wherein the amylose-containing starch is at least high amylose starch.
- 20. (Currently amended) The method according to claim [[19]] 18 wherein the high amylose starch comprises at least about 50% by weight, based on total weight of the starch, of amylose.
- (Currently amended) The method according to claim 18 wherein the <u>high</u> amylose[containing] starch is [at least] a modified starch.
- 22. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 21 wherein the modified starch is at least cationically modified starch.
- 23. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 21 wherein the modified starch is at least nonionically modified starch.
- 24. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 18 wherein the <u>high</u> amylose[-containing] starch is [at least] high amylose[-containing] corn starch.

- 25. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 18 wherein the <u>high</u> amylose[-containing] starch is present in an amount of from about 0.25 to about 10% by weight, based on total weight of the composition.
- 26. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 18 wherein the composition is a leavein composition or a rinse-off composition.
- 27. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 25 wherein the composition is a rinse-off composition and the rinse-off composition is at least a pre-shampoo treatment.
- 28. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 18 wherein the composition is chosen from mousse, gels, pomades, waxes, hair sprays, conditioners, or mixtures thereof.
- 29. (Previously presented) The method according to claim 18 wherein the composition further comprises a hair fixative.